

SPECIALIST PROCEEDINGS

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- (1) These Rules shall apply to the proceedings listed in paragraph (2) subject to the provisions of the relevant practice direction which applies to those proceedings.
 - (2) The proceedings referred to in paragraph (1) are –
 - (a) admiralty proceedings;
 - (b) arbitration proceedings;
 - (c) commercial and mercantile actions;
 - (d) Patents Court business (as defined by the relevant practice direction) and proceedings under –
 - (i) the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988⁸⁷;
 - (ii) the Trade Marks Act 1994⁸⁸; and
 - (iii) the Olympic Symbol etc Protection Act 1995⁸⁹ and Olympics Association Right (Infringement Proceedings) Regulations 1995⁹⁰;
 - (e) Technology and Construction Court Business (as defined by the relevant practice direction);
 - (f) proceedings under the Companies Act 1985⁹¹ and the Companies Act 1989⁹².

87 1888 c.48.

88 1994 c.26.

89 1995 c.32.

90 S.I. 1995/3325

91 1985 c.6.

92 1989 c.40.

